

500.41092X00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: M. NISHIOKA, et al

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

Serial No.: 10/046,224

SEP 07 2006

Filed: January 16, 2002

For: PUBLIC-KEY CRYPTOGRAPHIC SCHEMES SECURE
AGAINST AN ADAPTIVE CHOSEN CIPHERTEXT ATTACK IN
THE STANDARD MODEL

Group: 2136

Examiner: D. G. Cervetti

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED
PROCEDURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

MS AF

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Sir:

September 7, 2006

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2006, please amend
the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments.

MATTINGLY, STANGER, MALUR & BRUNDIDGE, P.C.

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

1800 DIAGONAL ROAD, SUITE 370

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22314

(703) 684-1120

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

SEP 07 2006

PATENT, TRADEMARK
AND COPYRIGHT LAW

FACSIMILE: (703) 684-1157

JOHN R. MATTINGLY*
DAMEL J. STANGER
SHRINATH MALUR*
CARL I. BRUNDIDGE*

COLIN D. BARNITZ
GENE W. STOCKMAN
OF COUNSEL

JEFFREY M. KETCHUM
Registered Patent Agent

* Bar Membership Other Than Virginia

Date: September 7, 2006

FACSIMILE COVER LETTER

Facsimile Number: (571) 273-8300

To: Examiner D. G. Cervetti
Group Art Unit 2136, USPTO

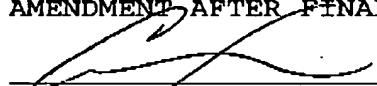
From: Mr. Carl I. Brundidge
MATTINGLY, STANGER, MALUR & BRUNDIDGE, P.C.

Re: USSN 10/046,224
Attorney Docket No.: 500.41092X00

CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that the following listed documents are being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL


Attorney Carl I. Brundidge
Reg. No. 29,621

September 7, 2006
Date

Total Number of Pages (including cover sheet): 25

If the facsimile you receive is incomplete or illegible, please CALL (703) 684-1120. Thank you.